is available in the Parliament Library.

(b) and (c) Agreemeuts signed between India and Bhutan since 1949 are listed in the enclosed statement.

Statement

Sl. No.	Title of Convention/Treaty/Agreement	Date of Signature
	BHUTAN	
1.	Agreement between the Government of India and Bhutan about the implementation of the Jaldhaka Hydro-electric Project	13-9-1961
2.	Agreement for the Exchange of Correspondence between the Postal Administration of India and the Postal Administration of Bhutan	11-9-1962
3.	Amendment of Article 8 of the Treaty between India and Bhutan of 1949 regarding Extradition	26-8-1969
4.	Arrangement for the Exchange of Money Orders between the Postal Administration of India and Bhutan	21-4-1967
5.	Agreement between the Government of India and the Royal Government of Bhutan regarding the CHUKHA Hydro-Electric Project in Bhutan	23-3-1974
6.	Agreement between the State Bank of India and the Royal Government of Bhutan	22-6-1987
7.	Indo-Bhutan Agreement on Trade & Commerce	2-3-1990
8.	Memorandum of Understanding between India and Bhutan regarding Air Services	19-6-1990
9.	Memorandum of Understanding between India and Bhutan regarding Preparation of Detailed Project Reports for the Tala Hydroelectric Project and the Wangchu Reservoir Scheme	25-11-1990
10.	Memorandum of Understanding between the Government of India and the Royal Government of Bhutan regarding the Sankosh Multipurpose Project.	4-1-1993
11.	Exchange of Letters on Paro Airport Terminal Complex	17-3-1993
12.	Protocol to the Agreement between the Government of India and the Royal Government of Bhutan regarding the Chukha Hydro-Electric Project (rescheduling of the loan repayment and power tariff).	13-5-1993
13.	Agreement between the Government of India and Royal Government of Bhutan regarding Kurichu Hydro-electrice Project	18-2-1994

Discussions with Swedish Delegation

5607. SHRIMATI VEENA VERMA:
SHRI RAJNI RANJAN SAHU :
SHRI SUSHILKUMAR SAMBHAJIRAO SHINDE :

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a delegation led by Kind Karl XVI of Sweden visited India for augmentation of ties between the two countries, including the economic and trade ties; and

(b) if so, what were the main subjects discussed with the delegation and the outcome thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI R.L. BHATIA) : (a) Yes, Sir. The King of Sweden paid a State visit to India from 10—18 October 1993.

(b) In the margins of the State visit, talks were held between the

accompanying Swedish Foreign Minister and EAM. Views were exchanged on regional developments in Europe and in South Asia, disarmament issues. terrorism and human rights. The talks resulted in greater understanding of each other's concerns and perspectives. Prospects for enhancing bilateral economic relations have also improved as a result of the interaction between the accompanying high-level Swedish business delegation and their Indian counterparts.

Extradition Treaties

5608. SHRI SUSHIL KUMAR SAMBHAJIRAO SHINDE : Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether negotiations have lately been going on for signing extradition treaty with the United States. Canada and Germany to fight international terrorism ; and

(b) if so, the outcome thereof in each case?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI R.L. BHATIA) : (a) Yes. Sir.

(b) *USA* : India and USA held one round of negotiations in September, 1993 to conclude a new Extradition Treaty. The Treaty can only be finalised after further negotiations are completed at the technical level and results evaluated by the two Governments.

Canada : An Extradition Treaty with Canada was signed in 1987, and is presently in force between the two countries.

Germany : India and Germany held a second round of negotiations in February, 1994 to conclude an Extradition Treaty. The treaty has been finalised at the technical level, and is presently being evaluated by the two Governments.

Visit of Namibian President to India

5609. SHRI AJIT P.K. JOGI: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the President of Namibia visited India in Feburary, 1992; and

(b) if so, the bilateral issues discussed and the outcome thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI SALMAN KHURSHEED) : (a) Yes. Sir.

(b) During his discussions with our leaders, bilteral relations, regional and international issues were covered. Visit resulted in a reaffirmation and consolidation of the close ties between the two countries.

During the visit, the Indira Gandhi Prize, 1990, for Peace, Disarmament and Development, for which he could not come earlier, was conferred on the Namibian President.

Use of Hindi in Indian Missions

5610. SHRI AJIT P.K. JOGI: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the names of our missions abroad where Hindi is used;

(b) how many publications are being brought out by our missions abroad in each foreign country;

(c) how many of these publications are published it Hindi language in each foreign country;

(d) whether there are any guidelines to the Indian missions abroad for the use of Hindi; and

(e) if so, the details in regard thereto: and if not, the reasons therefor?